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Embassy delivered reftel demarche to Kinga Simon, MFA Director for International Organizations (IO) and Human Rights, MFA Americas Director Norbert Konkoly, and the Prime Minister's Foreign Affairs Advisor David Koranyi. MFA IO Deputy Director Veronika Lakatos told the Embassy that the points were conveyed to the Hungarian delegation currently in New York (which includes Prime Minister Bajnai, Foreign Minister Balazs, and Political Director Gabor Iklody), and that while she was unaware of the final decision, she expected that Hungary would join the EU consensus on the issue.

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